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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PCT International Application of:)	Confirmation No: 7179
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<u>TOOL FOR EXCAVATING AN OBJECT</u>)	MAY 16, 2008

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED FEBRUARY 14, 2008

Dear Sir:

Attorney for Applicant in the above-captioned case hereby files a full response to a Office Action mailed on February 14, 2008. At the time the Office Action issued, claims 1-20 were pending.

The Commissioner for Patents is herewith authorized to charge to our Deposit Account 19-1800 any other amount incurred by the present response, or to credit this Deposit Account for any over-payment.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

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